



BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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In re the application of: Hermann Bujard and
Manfred Gossen

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences to the
Examiner's final rejection dated September 13, 2001, rejecting claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7-11, 13-
16, 18, 19, and 21-28.

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